ceep thum and we can s in sending love and u all. Tell Edward to l let me know of what suggestion of coming

The native cows are

likers though it does

our brother. LUTHER.

### CHICAGO

#### rk's Crew rmada.

l Colon was beached. y signaled the Oregon hore and the enemy as out to deep water, armor could not be went in and did the et. The truth must known, and history n Clark and his crew the Spanish armada. i, of course, from his and the squadron, was privilege of even wit-He was summened nd returned in time to but did not reach the r after the fight was

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of her cousin, Miss



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# CONFLICT IN PORTO BOUND FOR SAN

Nearing the End in the Peace Details -- Conference Today.

# CAMPAIGN IN PORTO RICO IN THE MOUNTAINS

PONCE, PORTO RICO, August 2.—(Evening)—The plan of the campaign is not fully determined on, but the natural strength of the Spanish position at Aibonito and the character of the defenses necessitates a flank movement. The turnthousand men at Arroyo, sixty miles east. From there he can strike the military road leading to San Juan at Cayey, beyond Arbonito. This will compel the Spanish commander, Gen. Otega, who has a reputation as a fighter, to abandon his stronghold or be anght between two fires. If possible the second column may move on his left flank also, in which case the present advance on his front will be shown to be only a feint. Gen. Stone is making a dashing reconnoisance in the north, in the direction of Arecibo. il) went into Adjuntas last night with five men and four correspondents, and today brought his command on along the Utado road. The road rises west of the Cayey range and is rough, but practica- was then called for the first time to the embrace the all important iss e in this ble for cavalry and infantry. If found possible for use at Utuoda Democratic opponent, Ben F Caldwell, at it. speaks for you, having designated a light column may be pushed across to the north coast and strike was named as the candidate of his party to Mills," I regard it as a challenge to in on San Juan on the left flank.

But if Brooke is successful, it is probable that Otega will find Ai- cally defined the financial policy which district, which challenge I now account bouito untenable, in which case the whole of our army, after effect- tions covering it and calling upon Mr. stons to be fixed by the chairmen of our ing a junction, will move on the main road. Stone met with the Mills as his opponent to discuss these most enthusiastic welcome from the natives in the villages and In its heading over its report of this details. Respectfully yours, towns through which he passed. Women and children strewed the of it as a "Ringing Challenge to Mills" By thus promptly accepting Mi Caldstreets with flowers as they passed, houses and town halls flew home- As soon as Mr Mills had completed the well's challenge Mr. Mills has manifested made American flags. Behind Stone moved Company C of the Sec-pressed his gratification at this challenge grossion if district the best possible opporhum. They have been for hours in full retroat. Our advance has pared and natied to Mr. Caldwell the district in congress with credit and to not been extended beyond Juan Diax, though reconnoitering parties and demonstrates his readiness to uphold are at issue in the present companie lave touched Coamo. Garretson's brigade and batteries have believes and which he advocates as the these questions jointly with Mr Caidcomped just beyond Ponce. The general advance will not be ordered candidate of the Republican party: until all of Miles' plans are perfected, but when the advance is once gun it will be very rapid. The fleet will bombard San Juan and nois State Register your address before Caldwell. As some of those mustings make other diversions to keep the enemy busy at every point.

### EXPECT TROUBLE

PONCE, Aug. 3,-The Spaniards are reported to be advancing though it is not generally believed. In addition to the regular fortiwations at Aibonito on the road to San Juan, it is reported that the romy has mined cliffs, preparatory to blocking the road if obliged to retire. San Martin, the Spanish commander here, who evacuated this place without orders, is a prisoner at San Juan. He will be toward the Philippine insurgents in the There is a lack of information in Washstied for cowardice and will probably be executed.

### MILITARY OFFICERS

BOSTON, August 4.—The Journal's Ponce, Porto Rico, spec- involves an immediate surrender of the between 8,000,000 and 15,000,000. ul says: A sensation has occurred in the Sixth Massachusetts, of Spartsh focus, not to Aguinaldo, but to If the revolutionary movement is gen-Garretson's brigade. The friction between the line officers and the bleers of the brigade, which has been growing ever since the com-this very bitterly, and that it will be States military and navalanthorities will mand left Cubs, reached a climax Monday when Col. Woodward, Lieut -Col. Chafin, Major Taylor, Chaplain Dousseau and Captain Godell, Company K, resigned. The exact reason is not known. The matter has been reported to Gen. Miles, and a rigid investigatou will be ordered. By military law to resign in the face of the themy means court martial.

# DISCUSSION

sion of Caldwell's Proposition.

Congressional Committee Chairmen Will Fix Dates sengers left Adjuntas, where twelve men had been left, the Spanish If Caldwell Does Not Flunk.

the convention in this city at which he your address as a "Ringing Challenge for congress against Mr. Mills. In that speech Mr Caldwell specifi-

he advocates, faying down five proposipropositions after be had stated each one | shall also arrange all other necessary rending of Mr. Culdwoll s and defend the principles in which he Mr. Mills is desirous of discussing

policy of yourself and party, and chall commodate as many people as possible.

Springfield Journal. Hon, Isaac R. [lenge me, as the Republican nomined Mills of Decatur, the Republican nomi- for congress, to discuse it. I regard nee for congress in this district, spont your financial policy, as embodied in yesterday at Pawnee attending the these propositions, as destructive to the farmers' piente. He returned to the city business interests of the country and as at 9 o'clook last night, and his attention involving the honor of the nation. They speech delivered the day before by his a empatyn. The Register, which, I take discuss these questions jointly with you

"The times and places of these discusrespective congressional committees, who

and announced his determination to ac- tunity to judge of the qualifications of tollowing letter, which explains itself pass upon the financial questions which well in every county in the distinct and "Springfield, Ill , Aug. 3, 1898 -Hon at as many different points as possible, B F. Calwdell, Springfield. Dear Sir: and is ready to have these joint discus-I have read in today's issue of The Illi- sions begin at once if that will suit Mr the late Democratic congressional con- will of course be held in Epringfield, it vention in which, under five distinct has been suggested that they be fixed for heads, you define the present financial the week of the state fair in order to ac-

the territory described.

que in the islands at large. In other insurgents

WASHINGTON, August 4 .- An inter- | words, having deprived Spain of the esting question and one of vital import. | means of resisting the onelaughts of the ance to the administration, is the attitude to be assumed by the United States United States would be bound to prevent the latter from continuing their warfare. event that we reach an agreement for the ington on many important points as to auspension of hostilities with Spain It | the conditions in the Philippines. For is stipulated in our terms of peace that instance it is not known even approxithe United States military forces shall mately how extensive the revolutionary occupy and establish a military form of movement has been throughout the vast government over the city of Manila, the group of 1200 islands, and among the hav and the surrounding territory. This large population estimated to aggregate

General Merritt, and there is some appre- eral and extends to yery many of the kension that the insurgents will resent Islands the task presented to the United necessary to expet them foroibly from be one of great magnitude in the event that it is decided to be incumbent upon Beyond this, it is said in some quar- us not, only to restore Spanish sovters that ponding the decision of the ereignty where it has been lost, but to pence commissioners as to the future of prevent its overthrow in sections where the Philippines, the United States will be it is still supreme and to prevent ex-

### FIGHTING IN **MOUNTAINS**

PONCE, PORTO RICO, August 2.-General Roy Stone while reconnoitering northwards along the road to Arecbo, on the north coast, with a company of the Second Wisconsin regiment, encountered opposition at Utuado, where a small force of Spanish ing movement was inaugurated today when Gen. Brooke landed three Mr. Mills Agrees to a Joint Discus- regulars and volunteers had been instructed by Captain General Macias to resist to the bitter end. The Spaniards refused to surrender, and General Stone tolegraphed back to Adjuntas that he would push on, aided by natives armed with machetes. B fore mesforce was reported to be between Gen. Stone and Adjuntas, picketed on the trail between Adjuntas and Utuado, in the heart of the mountains. As troops have to march single file, ton men can stop a regiment. Stone's messengers rode all night.

### THE LUCKY COMPANIES

SAN FRANCISCO, August 4 - The troops to go to Honolulu Saturday have been designated. They are Companies, C. I. E. L. and M of the First New York Volunteers. They are to be commanded by Major Chase. Total number of otheers and mon, 656.

### **MODIFICATION**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4-President McKinley expects Spain to accept his terms of peace before the week is ended. Such was ond Wisconsin. The enemy, numbering four hundred, preceded sept it immediately. He thereupon pro- the opposing candidates to represent this the statement of a member of the cabinet late last night after two conferences of great importance. M. Jules Cambon, the French ambassador, presented a note from Spain yesterday asking to have the conditions of peace made more palatable. The President and his cabinet decided that there should be no modification of the terms given in the note of the United States. The cabinet member already quoted says there is no need to make any concessions. Spain's note and M. Cambon's representations have convinced the President and his advisors that the Spanish government is ready to accode gracefully to the American conditions, after having made a show of trying to get a better bargain.

### PEACE TALK--NEAR THE END.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4-There was a long conference between the President and Secretaries Day and Long held thus forenoon Day and the French Ambassador were together going over the peace propositions this morning. The former has full confidence that there will be little serious delay or bickering of the closing of details of peace. Others who have gone over the ground conferred with the officials and express the opinion that the outcome of peace is very nearly attained. .

### FIGHTING YET.

PONCE, Aug. 4-As far as known no further forward movement will be made by the American troops until the arrival of trausports which are expected hourly. There has been no fighting up to the present, as far as known. The Spaniards are expected to make their first stand at Aibonito, 35 miles from here, where two or three morally bound to maintained the status cesses and outrages at the hands of the thousand Spanish regulars are believed to be entrenched. The present prospect is that there will be no actual fighting for several desa

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"We ought not to forget that coffined

ald writes to that paper as follows:

in the wreck of the Maine the bodies

cf some 200 American scamen lie to-

"Very soon that spot will be in our

ession, to do with it as we please,

day rotting buneath the waters of Ha-

and I desire, through your columns

to suggest that when the site of that

claved facical to the memory of all the

heroes and victims of this war. Let a cofferdam be built around the wreek,

and after removing all signs and

proofs of the dastardly deed, let the

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# THE DEMOCRATS ARE AT WAR

# The Senatorial Convention Stirs Up a Big Row.

### Buckingham, Webber and Manecke Hurl Personalities Freely===General Confusion.

of the dist district was held this afternoon in the circuit court room. There was a large attendance as it was ex- Maddex of Moultrie were made assistant posted that there would be an interesting fight between J. M. Gray and W. E. Nelson for the nemination for senator. The district is composed of Mason, Moultrie and Christian counties.

The electronic and rather prouling. A call was published in the newspapers for a county convention; to select delaguiss to the state and congressional conmention that sonatorial delegates were also to be chosen. The convention, howto select delegates. The understood that he would have the supthe majority of the delegates. There was a feeling against Mr. Gray on the part of some of the Democrats and the Macon county central committee held olded to hald primaries and a conven-

#### CALLED TO ORDER.

they would elect a senator and two repre-

Attorney C. C. Leforgee was chosen as said the men who rallied under the banner of Hryan, who were called anarchists and socialists, oven to the leader blus | would present. self, douned the blue and shouldered the musket and are now to be found on the of boodling was pot on the ticket the binody battlefield of Cuba fighting for Democratic party would and ought to be

#### Waltz was chosen as secretary, COMMITTEE.

It was decided that one delegate from each county act on a committee on permanent organization, a commutitue on credentials and one on resolutions. The committees were as follows:

Permanen. Organization-Los S Hall of Maoon, William White of Moultrin Dr. Cussins of Christian.

Credentials-C. A. Thrif, of Macon, Hugh Munson of Moultrle, D. Alverson Resolutions-R. F. Shipley of Maron

Swallaw of Uhristlan.

#### WITHOUT DEBATE. A motion was made that all resolu-

tions be presented to the committee without debate. A. O. Wobber started to talk neglinet it

and James Ricks of Laylorville rose to a point of order. The ruling of the chair was that Mr. Webber was out of order and the vote was taken and the motion to submit the resolutions to the committoo without dobate was carried.

#### BUTCHINSON TALKS.

The committees retired to wark and Attorney J. T. Whitley suggested that while the committees were at work Atdress. Mr. Hutchinson made a brief speech. He said he didn't know what to talk about but someone suggested that he talk about the Chicago platform and the speaker took up that subject. He said that hever since the Declaration of Independence has hope been offered to the people as it was in the Chicago platform, and referred to Cleveland as a

He closed by advising the delegates to be sure to came out of the convention with harmony.

#### COMMITTEE REPORTS. The committee on crodentials received

that there were no contests and the spading of the report was dispensed with? The committee on permanent organization recommended that the temporary orpanisation of the convention be made permanent and the report was adopted.

W. K. Whitfield made the report for the committee on resolutions. Quite a number of resolutions were presented by ham said: "If any man says that I ever Geographical society.

the committee and were adopted by the was made to give up boodle, he is an

Dr. Anderson of Mason and Miles

#### NOMINATIONS.

It was decided to call the roll of the counties for nominations. James Ricks spoke for Christian county. He said: "Christian county presents the name of John M. C. Shumway for the office of sonator. This delegation is happily situated with Mr. Shumway. He was vention. It was neglected in the call to born 40 years ago in Inylorville, he was a boy with us and has grown to monhood with us. He has always been a ever, after a discussion instructed a hard working Democrat. He has been in committee, of which J. M. Gray was politics because he was a man of affairs.

Mr. Ricks said that Mr. Shumway senatorial delegates recommended by the was as good Democrat as could be nomicommittee were appointed by the con- | nated and he could give Kanan such . vontion and were not instructed. Mr. race as he never dreamed of, and this Gray came out for some or and it was district for the first time would be represented in the legislature by three Demo

#### NELSON PRESENTED.

When Macon county was called A. G. our present for senutor one of the nobletion for the purpose of itstructing the not only in Mason county, but outside. This was done and at the con- There stands bahind him a fine record vention 93 districts out of the 33 were and also the support of the county. The represented. The delegates were in county has had but one expression and structed for Attorney W. E. Nelson and yesterday a representative conventions. now the Gray faction do not recognize was held when this man was ununimously selected. On April 2 a county convention was held but in the call there was no notice that the sanatorial dela-1:39 by William Kirkwood of Moulisio gates were to be selected. It was as who made a few remarks, saying ranged in a canous who abould be one of

an outside force with beadle behind it the delegates at the convention yesterday

He said that if a man who was guilty defeated. If Judge Nelson was not on the ticket for senator the election of Mr. Shumway in Christian county and Mr. Huff of Moultrie, would be sure of election for representatives. Magon county would like to favor Christian county, but it would be political suicide if Mr. Noteun was not put on the ticket.

#### BUCKINGHAM TALKS.

I. A. Bueldingham next areseated said: "In behalf of an undivided Demontacy,'' and the delegates laughed. Mr. Buckingham then spoke of how ridtoulous it was to speak of unalvided Domoovacy in Mason sounty. If it was undi- lature halis." W. K. Whitfield of Moultrie, Jacob vided he wanted to be delivered from undivided Democracy, Mr. Buckingham referred to the boudle question. He said all lt amounted to was that a man paid same pusple to work at the primaries. He said these other men were so good they dare not go where angels tread, Mr. Buckingham sald: "Wohber didn's send money and beer too to the Fifth ward, aid be?" Mr. Webber jumped up and said it wasn't fair to make personal reference, but the chairman said the point was not well taken,

Mr. Buckingham then continued his speech. He said Suttle admitted that he son was his partner and he leved him, vas wrong in voting for the Allen bill. He came here and helped to get up the primaries. Mr. Buckingham said those torney Butchinson should deliver an ad. affairs had happened before and that Manceke had one. Mr. Manceka jumped up in a rage and said: "Don't get personal with me, I won't stand it. Don't use my mante."

"I will use it if I want to," said Mr. Buckingham.

'I will retort. I will say that Mr Buckingham was one of the men who was made to give up boodle.".

J. T. Whitley sail I'v. Manecke was in succession to the Earl of Eigin. Mr. out of or ter and should tell his grievance on the street as he was not a member of the convention. While Mr. Whitley was spanking there was great commetion and Monteke reared at Buckingham and walked toward bim. Mr. Webber was a number of prize essays, including also taiking and the chairman was call- Russia in Central Asis," "Persia and ing order. There was great confusion but Mr. Leforgee finally succeeded in seenring order. Mr. Maneoke said he would keep still if Buckingham didn't Lord Scaradale, was educated at Oxford refer to him any more. Mr. Bucking- and is a gold medalist of the Royal

Mr. Manceke walked toward Bucking

enic: "Sit down, Wabber,

"I will when I get ready," E"Then stand up and make a fool of

once to Mr. Manecke and the latter again resented it. The chairman said Manecke must keen still but the expender insisted that he must not be referred to personally. He said. "Will you protect me or must I protec

Buokingham.

Mr. Manecke was quieted and went back ot his sout in a window.

muts in Mason county. Objection were night to confine blinsoif to the nominamade Mr. Buckingham had the right for say more than would ordinarily be considered proper, but unled that he could not go into detail so much and must proceed to the nomination of this man.

that the delegates were at first given the  $\|F\|_{1}$  Stout. they did not vote for one who had ever voted for the Allen bill. In regard to Mr. Gray the speaker said he was always a the gold men at first but when the party

publicans in Macon county need watching and Jim Gray is the man to watel them, With such a man as someton there will be no danger of his baying anything to do with boodle in the legis.

dates and spoke favorably of Mr. Gray, Ho said he had known J. M. Gray slace boyhood and knew ho was as noble a man as could be found and if he was terrible tragedy is under the control nominated he would make the most of the United States the spot be de lvely race ever known of in the county. SECONDED.

the Rpaulblean goos to press.

that Mr. George N. Curzon, the parliamentary scarciary of the fareign office, Cas accepted the office of vicercy of India, Curzon married Miss Mary Leiter, the daughter of Mr. L. Z. Leiter of Chicago. He was formerly parliamentary under secretary for India and is the author of the Persian Question,' and "Problems of the Far East." He is the eldest son of

ham, but some mon gathered around him and one man whispered to Buckingham

When the delegates were quite Mr. Buckingham continued his speach. Mr. Webber resented being referred to personally and he and Mr. Buckingham talked at the same time. Mr. Buckingham

Mr. Buckingham again made refer-

"You had better protect yourgelf," said

Mr. Buckingham then went on to say

cond. Ho is honorable and careful and is an able man. If he goos to the senate he will know what club will be held to-morrow evening at is going on and will express himself, the race track. There are to be some He is an unflinching, able, honest Democrat. With such a man we can run down Cantain Kanan. Mr. Gray will know where Kanan is every hour and will make life miserable for him. The Re-

B. F. SHIPLEY,

D. F. Shipley said he wanted to talk a little while. He referred to the candi-

Attorney J. T. Whitley next addressed he convention and spoke in favor of J. M. Gray. He said although Indge Noi-Mr. Gray.

Nominations were still being made as

#### in this struggle be engraved upon the pedestal, the victims of the Maine dis- lutely," istor heading the list. "Such a monument on that site would, even more impressively than the colossus on Badloe's island, personify liberty enlightening the world and to all lovers of freedom the world ever it would signal, without vindic-

tiveness or suggestion of revenge, the historic watchword: 'Remember the Maine.' A. H. NILLSON, "Ex-United States Navy." The regular mosting of Coner de Leon Lodge No. 17, Knights of Pythiae, will be held tonight. The nails on amputated fingers con

# ARMY MUST LEAVE GUBA

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, August 4.-(Copyrighted)-After Col. Roosevelt had taken the initiative, (as given in another column,) all other officers united in "A Round Robin" address to Shafter. It reads: We, the undersigned officers, commanding the various brigades and divisions of the army of occupation in Cuba are all of unanious opinion that this army should be at once taken out of Cuba and sent to some point on the northern seacoast of the United States. and that it can be done without danger to the people of the United States; that the yellow fever in the army at present is not epidemie: that there are only a few sporadic cases, but that the army is disabled by malarial fever to the extent that its efficiency is destroyed and that it is in a condition to be practically destroyed by the epidemic of yellow fever which is sure to come in the near future. We know from the reports of competent officers and persons of observation that the army is anable to move into the interior; that there are no facilities for such a move, if attempted; that it could not be atempted till too late. Moreover the best medical authorities of the island say that with our present equipment, we could not live in the interior, during the rainy season without losses from malarial fever which is almost as deadly as yellow fever.

This army must be removed at once or perish. As the army can safely be removed now, persons responsible for preventing such a move will be responsible for the unnecessary loss of many thou nemorable and unique contest than a sands of lives. Our opinions are the result of a careful personal there from out the waters of Havana observation, and are also based on the unanimous opinion of our medical officers with the army, who understand the situation abcon

# PRESIDENT AND THE ARMY.

WASHIFGTON, August 4.—The Fresident today had a conference with Secretaries Alger and Long, at which it was decided to move Shafter's army from Santiago to Montauk Point, Long Island. at once. It was decided that there are enough transports lying of the coast there now for the purpose. The dispatch of troops lone accordingly will begin without delay. Steps will also be taken to cut down the war expenses. The disbandment of the Auxiliary Navy has already begun, and other actions in the interest of ecouomy will follow.



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on its mute. Pay the price for the pair and walk out of the store with a smile of satisfaction that will prodlaim to all the Walter Hutchin's, the famous footfitter and have got" your money's worth, 189 North Water street. -- 8-d8t&w1t Still Missing.

The Gerald Lapiner boy is still missing in Chicago. He cannot be found. Resently two persons who had been servants in the Lapiner family were arrested with the abduction, which took place on May 30th. They were released. Detec-

#### WM. B. NEWELL,

Groceryman in Decatur.

some to give. The favor we have to give is put up in a small round wooden box and labeled Morrow's Kid-ne-oids. manifested. They cure backache and all forms of kidney disorders. Mr. Newell has used them and here is what he says about them, and you may depend upon it be would say nothing of the kind if it were

Kid ne olds, so I went to Armstrong Bros., and got some. I heard great things about them, which have proven to be true. They gave me speedy relief and I am glad to say that I gladly recommend them to anyone with this

always recommend them Druggists 50 costs. Six boxes for \$250 or by mail from John Morrow & Co., Springfield,

For Mr. Hartman.

Professor and Mrs. Mapes will give a ay ride to a number of young people tonight in honor of Mr. Hartman of Chi. ngo, who is their guest. The start will se made from the Mapes residence on the quartet was greatly appropriated. West Main street at 7 o'clock and the party will go to the farm of Mr. Ventz north of the city, where supper will be

Cone for a Vacation.

Rov. W. H. Penhallegon left this morning on his vacation. He will go to Chicago for two weeks stay and will return to Decatur for a few days, conduct ing services at the First Presbyterian church on Sunday, August 21, both morning and evening. Later to will take an eastern trip.

MANY PROPLE CARROT DRINK

M'GEE & CO. Do all kinds of Blacksmithing,

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Official Report.

Decasur, Ill., August 3, 18. Present: Mrs. Minnie P. Sectetler, Messrs. D. S. Shellabarger, J. F. Roach and the clerk, E. A. Gastman.

The superintendent presented a list of eighty applicants for the eight vacancies being on North Water street. During in the wards schools. After a careful examination and dispussion of the various names, it was unanimously ordered that the following persons he appointed a period of 11 years and as a supervisor toachers in the schools and the cierk was directed to inform each of them that the right would be reserved to terminate the contract at the end of any month if the interests of the schools required such ac-

Miss Harriet A. Davidson Miss Adelia Bishop. Miss Carrie Record. Miss Bessie Young.

Miss Emma Muthersbaugh Miss Marianna Deverall. Miss Irene Forguson, Miss Theda Gildemeister.

Principal Frank Hamsher recommended the appointment of Miss Louise A. Gastman to fill the position of assistant in English in the High school, made vacant by the resignation of Miss Nelly Cole Danely, who goes to a similar posi-

Those bilts were ordered paid: D. C. Shockley, \$10. W. H. Spence, \$200. On motion adjourned.

D. S. Shellabarger, President. E. A. Gastman, Clork.

### WENT TO STONINGTON.

Members of Goodman's Band Play To-Day at a Big Picnic.

to Stonington this morning to play at the annual Sunday school picale which is to be held today at that place. The pionto is bold every year and is a big affair. Persons come from quite a distance in that neighborhood to attend. Goodman's band was engaged to furnish music for the affair.

Joined the Recruits.

John Phelan left this morning for St rectantor off nice fliw ederation aircol engineer corps at Jefferson barracks yesterday morning. Richard Glover did of go with the recruits. He calisted as hornstist and passed the examination, but he was only 19 years old and his mother was unwilling to let him go. It is necessary to have the written permiseion of the parents before hops under age our join the army

Rev. Weems Here.

T D Weems of Totono will arrive in the city this evening to assist tomorrow atternoon at 8 c'clock from the of the track. Long Oreck Methodist church. The funeral will leave the residence at 1

Picnics To-Day.

The member of the Cumberland Presbytorian church gave a picnic today at Smith's grove, southwest of the city. There were quite a number of persons in abtendance and the affair was pleasant one Rev. A. W. Hawkins and Attorney J. S. Balwdin made the principal addresses of the day and there were a number of musical selections.

Meeting at Sharon.

The revival meetings which are in progress at Sharon church northwest of Harrisburg, Pa , are the guests of Mr. Mr. Newell is most likely well known the city, conducted by Rev. E. B. to every reader of this paper. This is Randle, have been well attended throughthe city, conducted by Rev. E. B. and Mrs. J. B. Freeman. I i why we put his name so prominently be-fore you. We have no favors to ask, but Sunday. There was one conversion last

Funeral Yesterday.

Fred Rostek was held yesterday after. not so:

"I have had bad kidneys. They give me especial bother each spring. I have had to doctor for them considerably. I never seemed to get cured no matter what I took. This spring I head of the course so I went to Armstrong."

Incom at 4 Clock from the lamily restricted the condition of the course were conducted by Rev. Heyne and the barial was at Gsenwood comewhat I took. This spring I head of the course were conducted by Rev. Heyne and the barial was at Gsenwood comewhat I took. This spring I head of the course were conducted by Rev. Heyne and the barial was at Gsenwood comewhat I took. noon at 4 c'clock from the family resi-

We say, use them once and you will to membership. The union new has 80

The Barbers' Union.

Sang at Harristown.

The Arion quartet sang at the lawn ocial given by the ladies of the Harristown Methodist church at the residence of Mr. Jacobs, one and one-half miles south of Harristown, last evening. There W C. T. U. of Roebester at Mrs. L. H. was a large attendance and the music of Olcott's grove near Rochester on Wednes-

BASE BALL.

NATIONAL LEAGUE. St. Louis 4-7, Brooklyn 8-9. Pittsburg 4, Washington 1. Louisville 9, Buston 1.

Lincoln 9, Mattoon 5.

#### CHICAGO STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO, Aug. 4.-Receipts: Hogs CHICAGO, Ang. 3.—Korcipts: Hogs coffee at night. It shouls their sleep You can drink Grain. O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain. O when you please and sleep like a top. For Grain. O does not stimulate, it hourishes, cheers and feeds. You it looks and tastes like the best coffee. For nervous persons, young people and children Grain-O is the perfect of drink Made from pure grains. Get n package from your grocer leday. Try it in place of coffee. 18 and 25c.

CHICAGO, Ang. 3.—Korcipts: Hogs CHICAGO, Ang. 4.—Korcipts: Hogs CHIC 19,000, atendy.

William S. Turpin of this city has been granted additional pension and William Four New Shoes for \$1.25. Show located at the corner of Oakland street and St. Louis ave. 25. on ingresse of pension through the are annually consumed throughout the Old phone 2173; New 200. Apg. 2-d2w

5. C. Davis for County Clerk. Samuel C. Davie is out as a candidate

for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Republican county convention, the roting primaries to be held August 20, from 4 to 7:83 p. m. the convention on August 22. Mr. Davis is a native of Mason county. He was born and raised in Long Creek township, but is now a resident of Decatur, his home represented the township as a member he has transacted a large amount of business for the county faithfully and well excellent service as a county clerk. He tion would be equivalent to election.

State Capital Praise-Thanks. Springfield Journal. Decatur is to be congratulated upon the enterprise exhibited by the Evening Republican of that oity, which has just installed a fast perfeeting press of the metropolitan type and a stereotyping plant, and is now fully equipped with all the incillates required newpanper. Within the last few years gress, and Decatur can now heast of an evening nowspaper that is fully up to the times and will stand compart on with The State Journal congratulites the Republican upon the great improvement it has effected and hopes that it will be appreciated as it ought to be by the poopla of Macon county.

#### THE BICYCLE TRACK.

Wheelmen are Considering the Matter and are Anxious to Have One.

The wheelmen of the city are quite anxious to have a bicycle track. The matter was brought up at a meeting of the Wheelmen's club Tuesday night and a committee was appointed to look around and see what could be done. The idea is to have a quarter mile track. Bi-The other recruits from this city left oycle races held on such a track are much more interesting than on a mile track, as the spectators are able to see more of the race. There was some talk of organizing a stock company an seiling the stock at a low price so that all the

wheelmen could take a little, It is thought that it would cost about \$600 to build a good cinder track, grand stand and fence. It is probable that \$250 could be easily raised among the wheelmen and the club could put up \$100. The balance could be sold among men around Rev. A. M. Danely at the funeral of town who are interested. When races John R. Winings, which will be held are held the club would pay for the use

#### PERSONAL.

-R. V. Mallory has recovered from an attack of material fever which has kept him confined to his home for the past 10 days.

-H. I. Baldwin has gone to New York and other eastern points in [the interest of the Pratt Cereal mills.

-T. W. Stewart, socretary of the Y M. C. A., and Mrs. Stewart, left this morning for a visit of two weeks at Chioagn and other points. -Misses Bessie and Emms Reens of

city today on business.

until March.

It certainly looks like it, but there is really no trick about it. Anybody can try it who has Lame Back and Weak Kidneys, Malaria or nervous troubles. We mean he can cure himself right away by taking Electric Bitters. This medine tones up the whole system, acts as a stimulant to the Liver and Kindeys, is The Barbers' Union.

The members' of the barbers' union held a meeting last evening at the Goodman band hall. Routine tusiness was transacted and Jake Cooper was elected to membership. The union now has 30 members.

Sang at Harristown.

a stimulant to the Liver and Kindeys, is a blood pursies and nerve tome. It cures Constitution, Headacho, Fainting Spells, Slooplessness and Melancholy. It is purely vegetable, a mild laxative, and restores the system to its normal vigor. Try Electric Bitters and be convinced that they are a miracle worker. Every bottle guaranteed, Only 5fe. a bottle at J. E. King's and C, F. Shilling's Drug Store. ling's Drug Store.

Prohibition Picnic.

The Prohibitionists will hold the sixth annual pionic under the auspices of the day, August 10. It will be an all day pionic with a program which will consist of devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Mary F. Wright, a talk by Rev. J. E. Rogers of Springfield and addresses by Hon. I. R. Mills, Hon. B. F. Catd. well and Hon, D. L. Bunn. Dinner will be served from 12 to 1:30 o'clock and a special meusical programs will be offered.

Millions Given Away.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds, have given away over ten million trial betties of away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satis-faction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the Throat, Chest and Lungs are surely cured by it. Call on J. E. King and C. F. Shilling, druggists, and get a trial bottle for 10c. Regular size 50c and \$1.00. Every bottle guaranteed or price refunded.

WARRENSBURG, MO., August 4 .-Rev. R. E. Howell, late paster of the Christian church at Columbus, was yesterday found guilty of making false his residence in Long Creek Mr. Davis affidavit to proof of loss from the burnof the county board of supervisors for last, and sentenced to pay a fine of \$500. 'Sam' is a good business man, who is property, promising to pay him \$50 therewidely and favorably known among the for. A charge of arson is also pending farmers, and would give to the people against Howell. Pinson turned state's bas always been an active and influential evidence. A complaint was originally Republican, quick to respond to the made, charging Howell with adultery party call either in the ranks for work with Mrs. Henderson, with whom Howell or in any other capacity. Mr. Davis, cloped and in whose company he was in short, is one of the solid men of the arrested in Oswego, Kan. This action county, and no better man could be was dismissed. Howell's wife and chil-

for the production of a first class daily its annual meeting here. There were 50 members present, some of them bringing The Republican has made rapid pro- their wives, who have been entertained by the citizens The voterons were enthose of many vities of double the size. evening at the Masonic Tomple Hon A J. Hunter of this city and Hon. Nick Perrin of Belleville, delivered addresses The officers elected for next year are: Colonel Forris Forman of California, president; Major S. P Tufts of Centralia, vice president, Captain J W. Hartley of Doestur, secretary and treasurer. Mr. Hartley has held this position for over 20 years. Colonel Forman is 85 years old. The association meets next year in Sullivan, Ill.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL, August 4. Mrs. Reeves, wife of Colonel Reeves of the 13th Minnesofa regiment, managed City of Para, and accompanied her husshe was prevented to continue her voyage

Corbett has posted \$2500 for a match with "Bob" Fitzsimmons or Jim Jeffgood if Corbett defeats McCoy at Buffalo.

Additional Store Room.

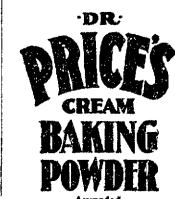
The workmen are bustly engaged in remodeling the store room owned by Mr. Smallwood at 188 East Prairie street. The interior is being remodeled, a new or lad, a new plate glass front put in and stone heat and water added. The work will be finished in about two weeks and an entrance will be cut between -K E. Palmer, traveling passenger this room and the room escupied by the agent for the Rook Island, was in the Stewart dry goods house on North Water street, which will occupy both rooms. -J. R. Williamson left today for This arrangement is made necessary be Binghamton, N. Y. He will be absent cause of the plans of the house to enlarge their business and the entrance from both Prairie and Water streets will be a decided convenience. They will open up their new stock and take possession of the new store in about two weeks

> The Last Letter From Camp. Corporal Clarence E. Siewers of Company H 5th regiment, wrote the Hepublican a letter from Camp Thomas. dated August 1. The corporal tells of the famous march to Rossville and the straggling return to camp. None of the officers are blamed for the recall and all but three men of the regiment were in camp on the lat. Then the writer did not know of the plans to send the regiment to Perto Rico. He is now with the rest of the boys at Newport News, nd will go on transports on the trip to join General Miles' army.

> Constable Miller on a replevin writ aptured a cow and a calf, and he wants it stated that they were not drowned.

Tom Hamilton met with a cerious ecident last evening at the Wabash round house. He stopped on a nail and injured his loft foot.

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#### TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

expectation a convention was held yester-Per week, 10 cents; Yearly, in advance.. 16.0 day which went through the form of Postal card requests, or orders through tele-phone No. 48, will secure early attention of our instructing the sonatorial delegates. Where the convention came from or who Address THE EVENING REPUBLICAN, 125 Seu h Water street, Decatur, Illinois created it no one knows. It was not

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State Senator,

M. F. KANAN ...... Macon County

B. F. CORNELL ...... Christian County

WORKING THE WHEELS.

the campaign, he insists that all appoint-

ments be conceded to him. That is that

Charley Wood, the candidate for sheriff,

to forsake himself and his prespects to

pull through in a Democratic district,

his doubts for many reasons, among

of those who enlist in the present war.

of his rank or station, in the service, un-

was granted be such as to occasion hi

girll tranches of the service " Bushle

this law every pensioner is required to

appear before a magistrato cach quarter

and take outh to the effect that he has

n t been employed or raid in the army.

mayy or mailne service of the United

States from the date from which he re-

coived his last pension to the present

time. As is also required to swear that

"I am entitled to the passion described in

this voucher, and have not forfeited my

right, title, or interest therein." This

law applies only to invalid pensioners

and not to those who resolve pensions

triot are in taver of.

Representatives,
L. McDANIFLS .......Moultrie County

THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1898. The people seem to have little use for he opinion of ex-Senator Edinunds on the war between Spain and the United States nor the matter of peace terms. He care mothing for and cannot, if he would, measure American continent from a patriotic standpoint, because be nover considers the voice of the people. He is an imperialist opposed to "imporial Bob Evans is as snosossful shelling a

lot of rattle brained religious resolutioniste as he is a lot of Spaniards. People who meddle with private characters without investigating as to the facts never did the cause of religion balf as much good as Bob Evans' shells.

Balley tried to commit the Democratic state convention in Texas against acquiring additional territory, but the resolution was howled down. The Texas State Treasurer, FLOYD E. WHITHEMORE .... of Springfield Democrat is not inclined to go into the explaining business.

State Supt of Instruction, ALFRED HAYLISS...... of Streator America will have to assume control of both Cuba and the Philippines or the last condition of the people will be worse than the first 

#### OUR NEIGHBORS.

BEARSDALE.

We are getting plenty of rain now. Just what the farmers have been longing for.

for Iola and Wellington, Kansas, Tues-U.B. P. Caldwell is not elasted to conday afternoon to visit relatives.

gross it will not be for a lack of desire Mrs. H. N. Lehow has ben quite slok on his part to make every Democratic but is improving.

Frank Troutman with his mother committee and every Democratic candlvisited relatives here Tuesday. date his humble servant. Ills interfer-

Mrs. Elizabeth Love of Severy, ence in the sengtorial contest here and in ence in the senatorial content here and in sas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Sanganon county is well known. He though and other relatives here.

had his way in the Sangamon district. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wilson returned He may have his way in this senatorial to their home in Chicago Saturday night district. We will know about that in a later a short visit with Mrs. Wilson's patent days. But he is not satisfied it seems tents, George Longenecker and wife. Brice Bear is entertaining his consin,

with the high handed methods adopted Mr. Woust of Pennsylvania. as to these senaturial nominations but in as to those sonatorial nominations but in Sangamon county, proceeding upon the an entertailment at the half Saturday theory that he is to furnish the funds for night. Admission b conts.

DALION CITY.

Foster Stovis and daughter are num-

all appointments in the county offices be been with the sick. need in his hands that he may use Rev. Joseph O'Rourko is visiting in

them in the campaign to get work and Indiana. votes for himself. He probably expects There was a few val at St. Isadore

to promise these places over and over Thomas McCowan of Decatur visited again. He also wanted to name bls man | colatives here last Sunday.

to conduct the campaign in Springfield Dr. Wilson reports a son bern to independent of the chairman of the coun-

ty committee. This resulted in the chairfor Dugan Bros. Hilly O Herin is coman, Tom Wilson, who has some inmupying desc's position as bartender of dependence of his own, resigning, this place.

also robolled as he would, in case of his Dugap on his way home from a brip in election, to appoint he own doubtles. Oxidhoma election, to appoint his own deputies. John Sheeby was in Decatur last Sun There has been war to the Sangamon

L Heady of Bethany visited S. A.

county Democratic camp as the result of Forre Brown returned home from In-

Caldwell's interference to have everything diamapolis where he was attending his own way. Those differences which school.

J. V Burns and Thomas Findley was smothered to some extent to save other in our city Tuesday.

Dee Bratus and wife are visiting relatives at Modi

Miss Pourl Adkins is visiting with He will probably not interfere in the

prospective appointments in Macou her. last week. county because there are not now and Hen Leser and wife have returned home

will not be any prospective appointments! from the south part of the state. Walter Morgan, the fumous peweler of but he has interfered with the sonatorial

contest and will have an organization in Decator which will not independent of are very much surprised at the start he the county convention and for Mr Cald- has in ide.

well alone, Mr. Caldwell claims his A. H. Morgan of Bethany was on our election is assured, but the attention be struct last work

is giving to details and his effort to Frank Former of Bothany transacted force every other Democratic candidate

mainess here hast week. Mrs J. W. McIntire and son, Van,

visited friends in Moweaqua last week, Hon. D. P. Keller of Moweaqua transacted business here this week. help elect Caldwell, indicates that he has grave doubts about his ability to James Hencherry, William Fitz and and as a matter of fact the people share W. H. Taylor transacted busines in Sulli-

Hughes Hoss transacted business in which the paramount one that there is no Decatur last work. demand and no reason for his election

Mrs. Mary A. Dugg in and daughter, The free trade and free silver and initia-Kate, visited Sullivan Monday,

tive and referendum principles he repra-Miss Kata Kelley of Decatur visited

souts are not what the people of this dis- friends here list week. Thomas Willis of Lake City, was on

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Hunt and daughter of Decatur are visiting Mrs. Jennie

Veterans of the late war who are now reselving invalid pensions have charged Commissioner Evans with discriminating | Oriflin the past week. George Waddell and family of Denatur against them by cutting off the pensions; are visiting friends here the past week.

One of the grand platform dances of the season was given at Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kinney's last Monday evening. A large number of letters have been reepived by the commissioner from the veterans, in which he is accused of de Ahank 50 people attended. Clafs Me priving them of their pensions on per Cathy surchestra furnished the music. Clate Mo-George Linaman of Mt. Pulaski was sonat grounds. Mr. Lyans denice that on our streets Tuesday. there is any truth in these charges, and

John Huber of Findly transacted aggerts that he is simply carrying out business here Monday.

the law, which says: "No person in the The U. D church gave an ice cream und chicken fry festival last Sacurday evening. It was well attended. army, navy or marino corpa shali draw

both a pension as an invalid and the pay Dr. Wilson reports a son form to Mr. less the disability for which the pension and Mrs George Bradley, July 39, 1 P. Bradley of this place visited triend in Macon, Shelby and Christian employment in a lower grade in the

countles last week FORSYTH,

Mrs. W T. Ruover of Macon visited relatives here last work. Bennie Funk returned Sunday from an extended visit to Indianapolis, Ind. Mr Oard and daughter, Lizzie, from Decatur, were guests of friends Sunday.

Cleo Barber of Macon visited with the family of V. W. Benton. The I. C railroad company is having a new bay window placed on the depot.

Miss McMillan of Decator is the guest of the family of V. 1. Hayes. Mrs. D. L. Parkhurst, who has been slok the past week is reported not much for total disability. For violating his better,

ervice in the future, as the commissloner has no choice in the matter. It was thought the frost which overtook the Democratio primaries to send delegates to a nost convention-convention to instruct the scnatorial delegates appointed months ago not to vote for Gray, would end the farce, but contrary to all

hasen by primaries, that's certain.

law a fine of \$500 or two years' imprison

ment or both is imposed. Pensions will

ecout off from all who onter the military

Mrs. Arthur Hawkins is ill. Dr. Yariell is attending her. There was considerable excitement is this vicinity Sunday over the shooting of Bay Tilford by a man named Olevenger.

his week.

Miss Myrtle Jones from Decatur is vis-

tlug her grandmother, Mrs. M. Carder,

The township Sunday school convenich was well attended at Sangamor sunday.

Mrs. John Carder and children of De-catur are spending the week with friends

Henry Miller of Deentur visited with Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Jonnings last week. Rev. Ritchie held his regular sorvices t Sangamon Saturday evening and Sun-

Roy and Georgio Harner trem Decaturate visiting their aunt Mrs. Elgin. John Costello and family from near

Argenta visited with Mrs. Julia Costello ounday. Nelson, Sr., was sick last Auseuh veck, but is able to be around once more

Mrs. James R. Walten visited with telatives in Decatur Saturday. Beuton Hawkins , Jr., and wife of Corro Gordo spent Sunday with the pa-

onts of the latter.

There was a fair attendance at the tabernucle Tuesday evening to practice singing for the township Sunday school

onvention. The farmers are thankful for the re freshing showers which fell here Monday. More rain, however, would be welcomed. Everybody nowadays is threshing of

MILMINE.

The hoys who recently went fishing have gotten over their "bites" Miss Ellon.

Mrs. E. Farnsworth visited relatives in

Mrs. George Hay was a Monticelle visitor last week.

Mrs. William Bowdle, south of town ontertained Mesdames Vance, Bower Voorbies and Steele of Revent and Mis Theo Yonkum of Champaign, last Wed

Frank Kimberlain of Bement is visiting friends in town today.

Thomas Voorbies of Lexington, Ky., is visiting his cousins, the Misses Voor-

Mrs. Laura Kinder and T. O. Hel-comb, Sr., are attending institute at Monticelle this week.

Rev. C. Rodgers of Ledge preached at Milmino Sunday. Miss Jennie Bowdle was a Decatur

Isase Lefever of Champaign, who has been visiting his sons here, returned home Monday.

Miss Cardolla Curry of Voorbies and her cousin, Miss Ryan of Obloago, called on Miss Jane Bowdle Menday evening. Mrs. Kate Lefever is visiting relatives

Mrs. E. Farnsworth will lawe next Monday for Gonzallas, Texas, to visit hor daunter, Mrs. C. C. Walsh.

Several boys from this neilborhood

ionve tenight (Menday) for North Dakota to help in the harve-t fields. Will Carter and Austin Lee were Decatur ylaltare Sunday.

Mis. Robertson's mother from Windsor is visiting here this week.

W. S. Cochrano of Springfield called on H. F. Robertson Monday, MT. ZION.

George Nicholson of Decatur was here last week.

John Davidson of Kansas City is visit-ing his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baxter Davidson. Miss Zolina Travis of Decatur is

spending a few weeks at home Rev. D. W. Cheek returned home Sat-arday after a visit in Missouri.

Roy Davis of Chicago is visiting home folks for a few days. Miss Diela Archbald of Docatur visited

Mrs. Inn Bilby and daughter. Gortie, returned home Sunday after a visit with friends in Decatur.

Ed Rinning of Marca spent Sunday

The Presbyterian Mus society will meet at the home of Mrs. H B. Smith algorithm on the first the control of the

Jose Daggett spoat Sunday with his Daiton City, took the pleasure of scooping Born, Thursday, July 98, to William corn three days last week. The people Weatherford and wite, a son.

Alert Whitaker has returned to this city city from Blue Mound, where he has

been clerking for 11. Henship for some

Mrs. Frank Elerich is dangerously ill at her home in the west part of fown.

John Zollars has purchased a fine \$200

Miss Flora Besoble, who has been visfing her parents in this city for several weeks, returned to her home in Las

D. W. Talt of Docatur spent Sunday

to her home in this city after a visit of several weeks in Chicago.

This city has at last been visited by a good shower. It came Friday night and was accompanied by much thunder and

Ola Jostos, the little daughter of Fred Ola Josto, the little daughter of Fred Jostes, mot with quite a painful noof-dont last Friday. Sho, with several other children, was beining Albert afford to colobrate his eighth birthday, when he accidentally shot her in the forehead with an air rifle. The shot lodged just under the skip and was removed by Dr. W. R. Bearen of this airs

Horn, to William Shaddook and wife, luly 27, a daughter. Born, July 28, to John fledrick and wits, a daughter.

Bugge of this city.

Everett, the little son of J. F. Van Sundy and wife of this city fell last Tilday and out a two-inch gash over bis left Nanologu Blalcok is still confined to his had from the effects of a fall received

ome time age. William Ruby was born October 10 1916, in Herkimor county, N. Y., and died in Macon July 21, 1895, aged 81 cents, 10 months and 11 days. He moved o this county in 1856 and stitled on a arm but failing health compelled him t) move to town. He was a constant sufferer from Bright's disease and ca-rurh and was confined to his bed for ight months before his death. He is surlived by a wife and four children, two ons, Dean and Fred, and two daugh-ters, Mrs. William Histor this city and

hald to rest in the Macon cemetery.

# **ANNIVERSARY**

# .. Clearance Sale..



Of Fine



# Vehicles and Bicycles!

We have too many high price goods and we think it better to sacrifice them now rather than to take the chances of selling them in a regular way. Remember that it is our very finest vehicles and bicycles that we are selling without regard to for-

#### We Have Cut Loose.

You know what that means. Come and see-no use quoting prices without you see the goods.

# J. G. Starr & Son.

Lincoln Square.

Mrs. J. H. Gibson and son, Bert. and daughter, Lula, were in Decatur Monday. Ethel Combs spent Sunday in Niantic, the guest of her sister, Mrs. B. H. Arm-

O W O'Dell of Mowanana was in the city Monday soliciting for his telephone, with a view of starting a telephone ex-

Mrs. Margaret J. Forguson an in-mate of the Masonic and Eastern Star Home, of this city, died at the home at 9:30 c'clock Monday morning of appo-plexy. She came to the home from Chiongo and is the first inmove to be called away by the grim reaper Death. She was 87 years, three months and four days, of age. The remains were shipped to Chicago Monday night on the Diamond Special, for interment.

The Presbyterias will held their regu-lar annual chicken fry at the home of J. A. Zollars in this city tonight. Regu-ist supper will be served, also see oream and cake. Supper, ice cream and cake for 25 cents. Everyone come and enjoy the evening.

The second annual picnic under the anaptes of the M. E. church will be bold in the Hight grove at Walker, Ill., on Wednesday, August 10. Good music, good speaking, ico cream, etc., will be the order of the day. Everyone invited.

MAROA. Mrs. J. H. Alsbury is visiting rela tives at Woldon.

Mis. Lucy Haines returned Saturday from Buden Springs, Ind.

Dr. G. S. Edmonson is visiting his Miss Lydia Caude of Stilson, Iowa, is the guest of her sister, are. G. L. Miller

and other relatives. Mrs. S A. West of Hopkinsville, Ky., is the guest of her son, J. F. Harris. Mis. Clara Swift has purchased the Moore property and will compy it seen.

Prof. William Fry and family have returned from a visit to Iowa relatives W. C. Dine and family have moved to the Lavit propecty north of the school

at 1:15 a ra., of consumption, Armenia Mahel Funk, aged 11 years and three months. The funeral was held from the Christian church Wednesday at 8 p. m. The services were conducted by Elder Lloyd Newcomer, Burial at Maron come-

tory.

Rev. J C. Hanna and wife will leave for Winena Lake, Ind., Thursday, for a

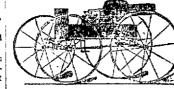
The Christian Endeavor of the Proshytorion ofurch will hold their prayer meeting at 11 o'clock next Sunday.
The nawn scalar at John Stontenber ough's was well ablended. Ico cream and early were served. The proceeds were

The funeral of Mrs Elizabeth Young. Vegas, New Maxico Saturday. She was who died Tuclay at the home of her accompanied as far as Decatur by E. L. Hugsen of this tur, was held from the Presbyterian city. Hanna. Burial at Maina cemetery.

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### TO-DAY'S WASHINGTON, Aug.

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### GARCIA APPEARS TO BE VERY BUSY

SANTIAGO, Aug. 4.—[Copyright by James Gordon Bennett] -The Spanish commander in Manzanillo, according to a report brought to this city by a Cuban courier, has written a letter to Gen. Guesa offering to surrender that place to the Cubans if Garcia will allow the Spanish troops to march out of the city with their arms.

General Garcia's army is marching on Holguin, and the Cuban halor is reported here to have gained a notable victory over the Spanish regulars in the fighting near Mayari. Many Spanish guerthas, it is asserted by a Cuban courier, joined the insurgents before the battle, and Garcia captured the town of Mayari and took 500 ordering him at the recommendation of individual lives lost, but it means ruin Spanish prisoners.

Two hundred Spanish families have chartered a steamship of is healthler. As a result of the conferthe French Transatlantic line, through the French Consul here, to take them to Santander.

Some of the wealthiest merchants of Santiago, fearing that the Cabans will eventually gain control of the government, are preparing to leave on this vessel.

The transport San Juan sailed this afternoon for Manzanillo to the Associated Press for publication. being the families and baggage of the Spanish soldiers who were sent from that place to re-enforce Gen. Linares prior to the surrouder this morning, we were all, as you know, paign against Havana in the fall, even of the city.

### ATTACK ON PUNTA MAYA.

HAVANA, Aug. 4-A Spanish report says that at noon on Satunday last an American warship fired on the Punta Maya, Matauzas battery, after the battery had opened fire on the warship, which is sold to have withdrawn for a time and to have returned with another ship. The two vessels, it appears, fired eight shots at the battery, which were answered by twenty shots from the shore guns, whereupon the ships are alleged to have withdrawn. It is said that only one Spanish artilleryman was wounded.

### TO-DAY'S PEACE NEWS.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 4-Amember of the cabinet who met the President this afternoon says he is cortain that the final reply of Spain to our note will be received before the close of the week. At yesterday's conference with the French Ambassador representing Spain, the President firmly but courteously declined to modify the United States' demands except in a slight degree in comparatively unimportant respects. The conference was devoted almost entirely to details regarded by the President as unimportant, hence the foremost part will be accoded to. One of these is the commission to sottle the details of peace, to meet outside the United States, preferably in France. It is practically settled that conferences will be hold in Paris. Spain propounded a number of questions as to the time she will be expected to evacuate Cuba and the territory to be coded to the United States, and what provision would be made to protect Spanish subjects in these Islands while the evacuation is in

All these points were answered presumably satisfactorily. Secretary Day's visit to Cambon last night was devoted to making clear what Spain apparently had not fully comprehended heretofore, that the evacuation of Cuba, Porto Rico and the Ladrone Islands to be selected by the United States, and their cession (except Cuba) made, is a condition precedent to all peace negotiations, and that not till these conditions are fully complied with would this government consent to entertain any peace propositions whatever.

MADRID, Aug. 4-The Spanish cabinet met this afternoon. the Queen Regent presiding, and discussed the peace proposals without arriving at any definite decision.

#### **EXCURSION TO NIAGARA**

Special Train Left This Forencen at 11 O'clock- Other Railroad Notes.

The annual excursion to Ningara Falls over the Wahash was run today. The excursion train was run as second section of Train 25 and left Decatur at 11 o clook. There were seven cars. All of the berthe in three [sleepers were taken. At this point about 200 persons gos on the train. About 50 Decarue people want same. It is the great remedy for and the other ware persons who came to Chronic Diarrhoos, Cramp Colic and all this place from points, pear here to take this piace from points near here to take the exeursion. The fare was \$3,50 for the round trip and the passengers will be taken through to Niagara without

G. A. Hines, traveling passenger agent for the Illinois Central, passed through the city today.

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Vandalia, visited the city today. Superintendent H. B. Starbuck of the P. D. and E , passed phrough the city

E. M. Legg, traveling auditor for the

Clint Weman, formerly an engineer on the Wabash, has gone to Molrose, Minn., where he will take a position on the Great Northern road. James Addison, special agent for the

lilinois Central, as in the city today. Attention, Old Soldiers

The manufacturors have instructed II. W. Bell, N. L. Krone, and W. H. Hubbard to give a hottle of 25c size of Foloy's Colic Cure free to the first solution. dier of the civil war that applies for the

#### Patriotic Social.

The Endeavor society of the tabernacio will give a patrictic scatal this a vegetable grower. Recontly the Re evening. The tabernacle will be decobe red, white and blue. A hearty welcome is extended to all by the young peo-

E. C. Blanks, of Lewisville, Texas, writes that one box of DeWitts Witch Hazel Salve was worth \$50 to him. It cured his piles of ten years standing. He advises others to try it. It also cures sczema, skin diseases and obstinate sores. H. W. Bell, N. L. Krone.

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### ROOSEVELT ON THE YELLOW FEVER

#### Letter to the Authorities and Public on Sick Conditions in Cuba.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, August 3,-- | clate the conditions of the army, to be ence General Shafter will insist upon the here with you. The sick list, large States within two weeks, As an ex- a faint index of the doblitation of the planation of the situation the following army. Not 10 per cent are fit for active letter is given from Theodore Rossevelt, commanding the Rough Riders, to Gen. Mains coset, for instance, or elsewhere, eral Shater, and handed by the latter to where the yellow fever germ cannot pos-

cal officers, called by you at the palace ananimous in the view as to what should if we are not allowed to try Porto Rico. he done with the army. To keep us here, in the opinion of every officer commanding a division or bilgade, will simply invelve the destruction of thousands There is no possible reason for not ship- or to Porto Rico two weeks ago. If there ping practically the entire command were any object in keeping us here we north at once. Yellow fever cases are very faw in the cavalry division where I indifference as we face bullets, but there command one of the brigades, and not is no object in it. The four immune one true case of yellow fever has one regiments ordered here are sufficient to curred in this division except among the garrison the city and surrounding towns, mon sent to the hospital at Siboney, where they have, I believe, contracted it But in this division there have been the city surrendered. It is impossible to 1500 cases of malarial fevor. Not a man move into the interior. Every shifting dled from it, but the whole command is of the camp doubles the sick tate, in its so weakened and shattered as to be ripe for dying like rotten shop when the real interfer is far worse than the coast yellow fever epidemic, instead of a fake as I have found by actual reconnectsance epidemic, like the present, str.kes us, as Our present camps are as healthy as any it is bound to if we stay here at the height of the sickness season, August I write only because I can't see our mon and the beginning of September. Quar- who have fought so bravely and who antino against malarial fover is much have ordered extreme hardships and like quarantining against the toothache,

(Copyright, 1898, by Associated Press.) sent home. If we are kept here it will, -Summoned by General Shafter a meet- in all probability, mean appalling disng was held this morning, and in the aster, for the surgeons here estimate that prosonce of every commanding and medi- over half of the army, if kept hers, duroal officer of the 5th army corps, Shafter ing the sickly season, will die. This is coad a message from Scoretary Aiger not only terrible from the standpoint of Surgeon General Sternberg to move the from the standpoint of mulitary effiarmy 12to interior to San Luis where it olenoy. The flower of the American army and the great bulk of the regulars are withdrawal of the army to the United though it is, exceeding 4606, affords but sarvice or work. Six weeks on the north sibly propagate, would make us all its as "In meeting of the general and medi- fighting cooks, able as we are eager, to take a leading part in the great cam-We can be moved north, if moved at once, with absolute safety to the country; although, of course, it would be infinitely better if we had been moved north would face the yellow fever with as much and there is absolutely nothing for us to do here and there has not been since present weakened condition, and anyhow camps at this end of the island can be danger so uncomplainingly, go to destruction without striving as far as lies All of us are certain, as soon as the in me to avert a doom as faurful as it is authorities at Washington fully appres unnecessary and unbearable.

# WAR TAX NEWS.

#### Postal Money Orders Must Not Bear Stamps.

of plain instructions sent out money postal money orders.

WASHINGTON, August 4 .- The orders are now coming into the auditor's revenue act which took effect on July 1 office with revenue stamps affixed. Some cents on each United States postal money pastmasters, others by purchasers of to the family was on July 30th, just order. Instructions were issued in ad-money orders. Still others by the payer vance to all money order postoffices that when they receipt for the money. All allixing stamps to orders, but by charg-selling postmaytor with in every case be Manila viotor Mr. Moffett has named his ing two cents to the buyers of the money required to account for two cents on each orders in addition to the regular ice, and order sold. No revenue stamps are in grows up he may go into the navy to to be accounted for separately. In spite any case to be attached to United States

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to be some mystory in connection with the departure of the Princess of Wales for Rept...... Copenhagen. It is semi-officially reaffirmed that her leaving England is due to the illness of her mother, the queen of Denmark, but two denkels of her maionty's illnoss have been received from Consubagan.

Rumors are current that the princess has had another disagreement with the Prince of Walce, similar to the quarrel which took the princess abroad for some months in 1898.

She then threatened to summon a family council to meet at Copenhagen and to expose the whole demestic situation. Lady Warwick is the objectionable

woman in the ones.

Rivat to Jack's Beanstalk. Mrs. M. C. Van Hall of North Union

street has one of the flasst gardens in the

success and brought to the Republican was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boggs, Stumptown, Gilmer co, W. Va. For sale by They are not of the rubber variety but J. E. King and C. F. Shilling. are the common string bean with the nade well filled.

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There are a few things that even a

#### MARKETS. FURNISHED BY B. Z. TAYLOR,

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Hogs. Rog receipts, 18.000. Estimated, 27,000. Market, wenk, 5c lower. Light, \$2.0028 82%; Mixed \$3.15083.85. Heavy \$3.80283.87%; Rough, \$3.10083.65. Estimated for tomorrow, 16,000.

Cattle

Cattle receipts, 9,500. Market steady.

About one month ago my child, which About one month ago my child, which is 15 months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave rolled, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about the child had been sick for about the child had been sick for about the child had been shout transfer. ten days and was having about twenty street has one of the finest gardens in the control of the bowels every competitions of the bowels every twelve hours, and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it publican made notice of the fact that a publican made notice of the fact that a resident of Riverside had string heave. rated and everything will denote loyalty resident of Riverside had string beans ommended, and I decided to try it.

to the liag, even the cream served is to in his garden growing to the length of 18 soon noticed a change for the better inches. Mrs. Van Hall has doubled his by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and it is now per-

> The Rev. W. B. Costley, of Stock bridge, Ga., while attending to his pas-toral duties at Ellonwood, that state, was attacked by cholera morbus. He says: "By chance I happened to get hold of a bottle of Chamberlain's Cohe, Cholera and Diarrhosa Remedy, and I think it was the means of saving my life. It relieved me at once." For sale by J. E. King and C. F. Shilling.

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Bargain Friday—

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#### 50c Laundry Bags, 19c.

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#### 75c Black Satine Shirts 39c

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#### 25c Drapery Fringe, 9c.

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Bargain Friday—90

#### 35c Men's Drawers, 19c.

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Ex-Supervisor E. R. Muffatt of Blue Mound township is rejutelng over the arrival of a bright baby boy at his home -the sixth son, making an interesting family of seven children, one child being prescribed a government tax of two were evidently affixed and cancelled by a girl. The birth of the latest addition about three months after the battle of Mantia bay, when the Spanish floet was converted quickly into ; submarine vessels by the famous admiral. In henor of the infant son Dewey Moffett, and when he equip himself for active service in case there is anything left of Spain 90 years hence of sufficient importance to engage the attention of Uncle Sam. At last nocounts Dowey Moffett was all right and had been gracted by his grandpa, Hon. W. T. Moffett.

VICTORIA, B. C., August 4,-Worde ame from the north yesterday of a desperate stampeds from the Copper river country to the coast, the statement being made that 3000 men are making their way over the Valdez glacier and that many of them are doomed to starvation unless the United States government sends relief promptly.

Advices received from Dawson state that the disatisfaction with the administration of mining regulations is growing very widespread.

Michigan for a month. Rev. Penhalisgon will return in about two weeks to deliver a lecture at the Central Illinois Chautauqua meeting. He will isobure at several other places

....Mrs. T. D. Smith left today for Bement to be gone a short time on busi-

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#### BY IMOGEN CLARK.

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"Hem!" The stillness of the parlor was broken by that slight sound. Miss Cordella Slater started in some trepidation and glanced at her twin sister as she leaned forward in her chair, her face pressed close against the discreetly bowed blinds. In doing this Miss Cordelia had to relinquish a similar position in the window which she considered her own. She felt distinctly ill at ease. A sound which may be in-terpreted into untold significance, or which may have been uttered with the smost innucent of intentions, leaves a listener at a disadvantage. She did not wish to precipitate matters by what might be termed curiosity, though she felt the questions leap to her lips, and still less did she wish to appear like a fool. She waited almost apprehensively, her throat growing dry until she was forced to make her choice between a cough and strangulation, giving voice to the former in a nervous manner, at which Miss Cornelia sat erect and glanced in her turn at her sister.

The two women were singularly milks. Fitty years spent side by side bad done much to increase a resemblance which Nature had marked strongly at the outset. The progress of time, however, had been a placid one with them, leaving few of its sewerer traces behind. They still retained many of the customs of their youth, as is upt to be the case with people where there is no occasion to make room for a younger generation. Broadmeadows, too, was charmingly conservative. Fashion crept slowly up that way, and the appearance of the sisters with their bygone airs and graces did not seem out of place there. Familiarity had bred a certain amount of indifference as far as the small, slight figures were concerned, and amid a more than undue share of spinsters they were not pre-eminently no-

That afternoon Miss Cordelia was dressed in a pineapple muslin, aprinkled with faint marks that had once been Toses. Her sleeves fell a triffe below her elbows, and she had a little way of patting her arms, which were round and pretty, almost as if she admired them. Cornelia, whose sleaves had always been long, characterized the action as "unseemly," and once Cordelia had been known to say in defence that it was no more reprehensible to be fond of one's dimples than of one's curls -- a pince of logic which her sister could not refute, though secretly surprised that Cordelia, who usually lacked spirit, should be the author of such a retort courte-

Miss Cornelia straightened the green bow at her throat, put her hand to the back of her head where her curls were gathered high and held in place by an claborately carved comb, patted them softly, and then tossed up the little ringlets on her forehead, which had been disarranged by their pressure against the blind.

"Did you see anything unusual just now?" she demanded.

"Why?" Miss Cordelia faltered,



THAT MAN'S BEEN TAKING NO TICE FOR MONTHS."

before answering the question and feeling her way for the right word as daintily as a cat picks her footsteps in wet weather. "It occurred to me that Jared-Captain Taylor, I should say—was beginning to take notice"-

"Beginning to take notice! Cordella Slater! That man's been taking notice for months. I wouldn't wonder if he'd taken notice right along-that is, after the first week or so.'

"You needn't be astonished. The crape a man wears on his hat isn't like a woman's voll. It ain't ever supposed to cover his eyes. He sees and knows pretty well what's going on. And I guess Jared Taylor len't any more faithful than the rest of them, or dif-

ferent either. There's no denying that ne was a good husband and most likely he did care when she was taken, but for all that, it's ridikilous to say he's bowed down with grief now, when anybody with an atom of common sense can see that the bokays grow

smaller and smaller"-

"Don't shrick my name out for the whole town to hear. It's the truth, I tell you. Because Jared Taylor stops at the hedge and looks at our house you think he's beginning to take noties. Bah! As if that kind of noticing lia returned with a low chuckle. "I meant anything! I declare, you are as and all Broadmeadows, would say he weather, and then I said I'd some cus-

him to graduate into shades." She sniffed her contempt and fanned herself vigorously for a few moments, the uneven sweep of the paim leaf brushing against her flat chest with a little rattling sound like one of derl-

"If he'd gone by with a single, solitary flower," the shrill voice contin-



CAUGHT HIM LOOKING AT THE GIRLS THIS MORNING."

ied, "you probably wouldn't have noticed that or what the meaning was, Four weeks ago I saw the difference. The flowers he carried then didn't make as much of a show as those he had carried before. At first I said to myself, The man hasu't a measure for his bokays; but there was something in the set of his head that made me think he was chirking up, so I determined to wait and see. The next time he went by the bunch was smaller by a trifle, last Sunday there was a considerable falling off, and to-day"-"Perhaps he couldn't find many

"Couldn't find many? What's to pre-vent him in mid July? Look at our garden, and it isn't half as large as his. What do you see there? Geranlums, sweet alyssum, bouncing bets, hellotropes, striped grass—it would tire one to go through the catalogue. All those and more you can find in Jared l'aylor's garden at this very minute. You could have them for the picking, and so could he! Perhaps you didn't notice what he had. Well, I can tell you. He'd a bunch of nasturtiums, such a bunch as he could pick without stirring from his own piazza a handful, with limp, straggling ends just put together helter-skelter and he was taking them out there to the cemetery, and you know, and I know, that Eliza Taylor always hated the very sight of nasturtium,

She sank back in her chair and twirled the little jet bands on her wrists, eyeing her companion trlum-

"The fact is," she went on, "his mind is on other things. He's been a widower for eight months now, and he's coking round. How do I know? How do I know that the grass is green and the sky blue? Because I can see. I don't say he knows it himself yet, though he may. Men are so deep there's no fathoming them! But there's his heart just waiting to be turned in any direction,

Miss Cordella remained like one pet-

"In any direction, I said, and there are plenty here to do it. There isn't own it. You needn't tass your head! It's one of the finest houses in town, and I used to think 'twas thrown away upon Eliza Taylor. She'd have been satisfied with something smaller and plainer. She thought all the treasures the Captain brought from over seas useless trash. She told me so herself." There was a horrifled protest, acompanied by the faintest sigh, from

the opposite corner.
"I think so often of those shells and things," the thin voice pursued relentlessly. "I know his old servant never dusts them from week's end to week's end. I seem to feel that now is the time when Jared Taylor needs a strong arm to lean upon. Left to himself. there's no telling what he may do. I caught him looking at the girls in the choir this morning as if he realized for the first time that they were girls; and that's a bad sign for a widower! There'd be no hope for an older woman if his heart got tangled up in a girl's ribbous-no matter how hard she would tug, the ribbons would have the flesh and her confusion. best of it. And I say 'twould be ridikflous and shameful for a chit of a girl to step into Eliza Taylor's shoes."

"Ridikilous and shameful!" echoed Miss Cordein with unwonted energy. But how can you--or--or--anybody prevent it?"

Miss Cornella flashed a contemptuous giance at the speaker.

"He knows he has good friends in us." she said irrelevantly. "I've let him see that."

A sudden light dawned upon Miss Cordelia's dull brain. She trembled at the discovery.

PART II,

"Those cup custards you made bust Wednesday were for him!" Cordella gasped. "I thought they were for Lucla Hale. You told ,ne so,"

"I told you the truth, but Lucia Hale couldn't eat a half dozen, and I didn't propose to slave myself to death providing delicacies for her children. One custard was quite enough for her."

"But how-but how did you get them to him?" "That wasn't difficult," Miss Corne-

went past his house on my way from simple as the rest. You want somethe Hales, and he was on the side pithing you can lay your finger on. If azza-he always sits there mornings. he should put on a red tie now you. We exchanged a few remarks about the wear going into colors; but I flatter myand I can tell when his mind is put- tor poor dear Eliza's recipe. I was faile. At any drug store.

taking them to a neighbor. But I meant to leave them with him instead. He looked as delighted as a child, and, what's more, he didn't say no. He hasn't sent back the cups yet. Well, he's welcome to them; especially as two are cracked."

"You wore your mauve muslin on Wednesday," Miss Cordelia said dreamily. "I remember wondering why you put it on, for the road to Lucia's is so dusty. You always look very nice in mauve, Corny, dear." She paused for moment to gather courage, then she asked tremulously, "Have you made anything else for him?"

A satisfied smile curved the corners of Miss Cornelia's prim mouth. She plaited a fold of her skirt between her fingers before speaking. "What did I do yesterday, Corde-

"Yesterday? There was the meeting for the heathen in the morning, and it vas slimly attended. It always is, and that's not because we're not interested in the heathers - poor things! - and willing to make clothes to cover their -their nakedness. But Saturday is such a busy day! The president ought"—— She stopped in her discurlveness, then hastly resumed: "You were there, of course, and you didn't stir out of the house all the afternoon. ou were making crullers."

"Ex-actly."
"But, Cornelia, I don't see — you didn't use Eliza Taylor's recipe"——

"Eliza Taylor's recipe! Eliza Taylor make crullers! I suppose she did-those dreadful, common-looking brown cruliers that are an insult to any one's digestion. You know I don't make that kind. You know there isn't an-



HE LOOKED AS DELIGHTED AS A CHILD."

other woman in Broadmendows who can make cruilers like mine -- little, dainty, twisted ones, the size of a halfdollar, that only a gentlewoman's hands could concect."

She glanced at her taper flagers with pride, moving them gently as if she were manipulating some tender morsels of dough between their delicate

tips.
"As for my recipe," she continued, "I found it with Aunt Pamela's papers,

and it reads like a poem, rosewater, spice, sugar-ah! nobody shall know it while I live."

She paused and glanced from the window; then, with a quick exclama-tion, she hurried from the room,

Miss Cordelia stared after the retreating figure with something like dismay on her part. For a few moments she seemed incapable of moving of thinking even; but at the sound of steps on the gravel without she leaned again toward the blind, only to sink back with a low cry as she saw Cordoor with an authoritative gesture, in obedience to which she glided out to meet the guest. Her bosom beat tremulously. A day ago-nay, that very morning - she would have met Captain Taylor with an almost unruffled mien. but the disclosures of the previous hour had altered everything. She put forward a line hand and trembled at the hearty pressure it received. A thousand thoughts leaped into her mind. She was glad she had selected blue ribbons that afternoon. Blue was always becoming, and it was his favorite color - - a reminiscence of her girlhood, stirred suddenly into life. She glanced down abashed, and her lowered eyes rested upon the soft curve of her forearm. She wondered if-Her sister's step sounded along the hall and Miss Cordella sank shamefacedly into the chair which the Captain placed for her, hugging her elbows desperately to hide both her

Miss Cornella approached, carrying a tray in her hands. She deprecated the Captain's aid with a coquettish toss of her curls, while Cordelia gazed aghast at the festal preparations. The high glass pitcher and the slender tumbiers grouped at its side were objects of veneration in the Slater household. The astonished woman could not remember the time when she had not admired their beauty. As a child her chubby lingers had followed the gold tracery along the edge on some rare holiday, while the caution, "Take care!" sounded perpetually in her ears. She wanted to echo it now. What was Cornelia thinking of? And as if the shrub were not sufficient, it was flaulted by the old dish of Hly root and gold, filled with little, glistening cakes.

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tumult she had awakened in one breast at least, placed her burden upon a table and poured out a glass of the rosy aquid, motioning to her sister to serve herself. The Captain took the proffered delicacy shyly and waited until his hostess had possessed herself of a similar glass, then he raised his to his lips, bowing to the two gentlewomen. He took a deep draught and put down his empty glass with an appreciative sigh.

"I've had a long and a hot walk this afternoon, ma'am," he said half apologetically,

Yes," Miss Cornelia replied, drooping her head commiscratingly; "I saw you when you nassed, Cantain Taylor, and I knew your sad errand. It is like your good heart to be so faithful. Poor dear Eliza!" "Poor, dear Eliza!" echoed Miss Cor-

The Captain blinked and looked off at the nodding lilies in the garden. This little tribute of sympathy was very welcome to his lonesome heart. There was a short pause, during which he groped about mentally for something to say, but his embarrassment could furnish nothing appropriate. He moved awkwardly and brought his great fist down upon his knee, where he had spread his handkerchief. It came in contact with the tiny cake which he had taken from the dish a few minutes before. He picked it up turned to his hostess.

"What d'ye call 'em?" he demanded brusquely.

"Crullers," simpered Miss Cornelia. 'They're made from an old last century recipe that belonged to my grandaunt. I hope you flud them good,

"Your nunt was a glory to her sex, ma'am," Captain Taylor cried. "Find em good! I'm a blunt man and I generally speak my mind, so you must excuse me when I say they're denced good, and with your permission I'll have another," When he took his leave in the

gloaming to return to his solltary nome the two sisters stood silently watching his short, stout figure as it rolled along the road. Miss Cornella was the first to speak.

"You ate three, Cordy," she said as she lifted the empty blue dish tender-ly. "I kept count, and I had two; he ate the rest."

"They were very small," Miss Cordelia cried in quick defense of the charge of gluttony thus brought

an unmarried woman in Broadmeadnolla piloting the not unwilling Caphim at all, imagined him spending his ows who hasn't looked with eavy at the product to the part of the part of one share mile is equivalent to perly scious of the scraping of chairs on the on his own veranda, he was sitting 17,500,000 gallous, weighing 145,250,000 porch, followed by the appearance of instead in the shadow of the honeyher sister momentarily at the parior suckle vines on the Slater porch. He was a man of simple affections, a trifle vain and easily flattered, and he was still very lonely. His other neighbors, a trible of the writers "One Minute Cough Cure a rightly named. It cured my children after all other remedies failed." It cures not comprehending his need of comnot comprehending his need of com-panionship, had left him afone with his troubles. II. W. Bell, N. L. Krone. sorrow, and it was not likely that this first cordial sympathy should meet with analysis at his hands. He was 38 oriminals; among married men too delighted with the gracious reception accorded him by the two sisters. No auditors had ever listened to his eloquence with just that degree of appreciation which the Slaters so plainly evinced. He thought of them collectively, which was rather a bad sign for their individual interests, and he liked them both in his hearty fashion. He had not yo! felt called upon

to institute a preference.

Meanwhile the two women were daily drifting farther apart. An unknown element had crept into their quiet existence, and they both chafed at the strife which had sprung up betwoen them. With the key of the larder in her possession Miss Cornelia could afford to laugh at her rival's pretensions, but there were other times when the rival sang softly at the old biano in a voice that was still sweet, and such moments thrilled the stout heart of the commissariat with a dismay that not even the pride in her own ringlets could quell. Of what avail were her ringlets when her antagonist arranged her tresses in similar fashion and while the fair weather held curls produced by artificial means looked the same to masculine eyes as

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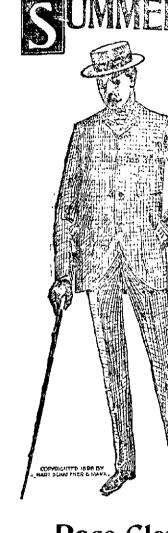
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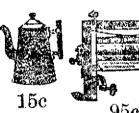
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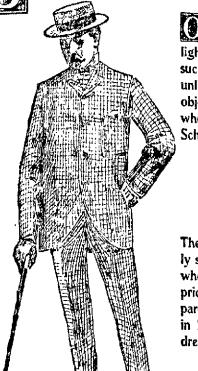
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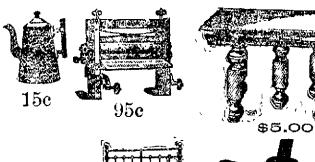
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The undersigned having been appointed executor of the estate of ida Amelia Downing, lateof the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county count of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the heptember torm, on the first Monday in September next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

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TOR RENT.—Furnished rooms for rent at 30 P East Wood street, opposite Mr. Shade's red dence. Rent reasonable. 30-de

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One fare round trip. Sail October 8 to 13 inclusive. Good returning fill Oct. 31.

Additional excursions to Olacinnati, O.,
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#### REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

One County Clerk,
One County Treasurer.
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over.

Hach district or township will be entitled to the following delegates:

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No 118 to Chicago via Chinton & Gilman.

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The Republicans of the several townships or districts in Macon county are requested to select designates to attend the county convention to be held at the court house in because III. an MONDAY, THE 22d DAY OF AUGUST. 1885, at it o'clock a.m., for the purpose of placing in nomination candidates for the following officers to be voted for at the general election to be held on Tuesday, November 8, 1894;

The representation in said convention will be ased upon the Republican vote ast for Free-cution declars in use, being one delogate for eary fitty or fraction of twenty-five votes or

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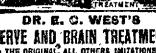
By virtue of an execution to me directed and detivered by the clock of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Charles Gross and against R. M. Burnou, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wist Loi 5, in Block 13, in the Village of Bloo Mound, Macon county, Illinois. Taken as the property of the said R. M. Burnos, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house in Decatur, in Macon centry, in said state, on the 12th day of August, A. D. 1888, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

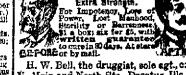
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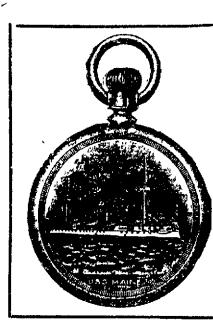


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ENTRIES CLOSE AUGUST 15.

B. Z. TAYLOI'- President. G. A. KELLER, Secretary.

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Look out for the Parlor Most Market's Special sale on hand Saturday .- 8-td Wooden sleepers on railways last about

Wanted-A good girl for general housework. Apply at opera house drug store. Do not fail to see those elegant pianes

invorites with the people Go to Spencer & Lehman's for wood typhoid cases.

pumps, iron lift pumps, force pumps chain pumps and pump repairing.-mar The Woman's Home Missionary su-

cluty of the First M. E. church will meet Friday at 9:80 p. m. at the home of Mrs.

Eczoma, scald head, hives, itchiness of the skin of any sort instantly relieved,

The Probibitionists will open their

a meeting tomorrow night at the hall at the corner of King and Monrue streets. Addresses will be made by D. L. Bunn, candidate for congress, and J. H. Hughes, candidate for the legislature.

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Ningara Falls and return, only \$8.50 via Wabash R. R., "The Ningara Falls Short Line," Wednerday, August 17, 11

Mark Reinstorf mot with a bad accident yesterday at his pacents' home on West Prairie avenue. He was at the barn attending to the horse. He was in the loft and as he came down the ladder he lost his footing and fell a distance of about 19 feet, fracturing his left shoulder blade. Reinstorf will be laid up for some time. He was attended by Gr. Wilholmy.

matters which had been referred to them. They visited the allay back of the the residence. Brennsman wholesale house. A petition has been presented to have the alley brought to grade and at present it is in a dangerous condition. It was seen by the members of the committee that the improvement would cost about \$300, so to was decided to shut up the alley for the present. A fence will be put across ue entrance so that it comes he would be matter of putting up sign beards at the intersections of all streets has been reeage and learn how much it will cost to

#### Had Rough House.

band over the head with an umbrella,

#### Wanted.

A limited number of persons to de writing at their bomes. Twenty-five cents paid for every hundred words. Prompiness and good work necessary. Applications must be accompanied by 10 Sioux City Business College, Sioux City, lowa. --29-det

#### Foot Injured.

Mrs. J. T. Nicholis, who lives on and is growing. Leafland avenue dropped a heavy fork on her foot yesterday and the tines penerated the top of the feet causing a

#### Sales of Real Estate.

Edward W. Hoffman to Lavi Towl, lot in block 3 of L. Towl's Maple Grove

#### addition to Decatur; \$850.

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#### FOR BETTER SANITATION.

ard of Health Will Urge Appoint ment of Sanitary Inspector.

The number of deaths reported for the month of July to the board of health while nothing startling, show a market increase over the number occurring it the preceding months and a larger num ber than has been reported for one month since the board has been keeping a record of the deaths. The increased mortality is supposed to be due to the heat and compared with other cities of the population of Decatur was surprisingly low There were 30 deaths reported and it is thought by members of the board that the number of ceaths were larger than given. The undertakers and physicians have been slightly neglectful in this respect but arrangements have now been made to have all deaths promptly re-The board is vigorously enforcing the

telephone 528, new 'phone. Decasur Hard ordinance requiring all houses which have been occupied by consumptive patients to be thoroughly disinfected and fumigated. It also has been decided to make an audeavor to secure the appointment of sanitary inspection or have a police detailed to inspect and take charge of all commutations cases, see that the propor attention is given them, and generally to looste and report all cases where unsanttary conditions exist. The matter will be agitated by the board and the co-operation and assistance of the city council asked. Six new contagions cases have at the C. B. Prosects music house. The been reported in the past three days, Chickering and Packard planes are the Four are of session fever and two of trial. She was the most important witdyphtheria. There were also one or two

#### THE DEATH RECORD.

JOHN R. WININGS.

John R Winings died yesterday at E. B. Randle, 735 North Edward street. his home, No. 275 East Condit street, aged 67 years. The deceased was born in Ohio county, Indiana, but came to permanently cured. Doan's Ointment, lilinois many years age. He leaves a wife and seven children. For about 40 Ningara Falls and return, only \$8,50 years he resided in Long Creek township via Wabash R R , "The Niagara Fallis and come to Decatur five years ago. His Short Line," Wednesday, August 17, 11 children are J. S., C. M., W. H. and Jesse R. Winings of Decatur, Mrs. Elmer Happe of Decatur, Mrs. W. T. Hunt of campaign in the county tomorrow with Russell Springs, Kan., and Miss Clara brother, William Winlegs of Lake City, and one sister, Mrs. Martha J. Hughes of Long Creek.

The funeral will be held Friday after noon at the Long Creek Methodist church. The services will begin at 8 o'clouk and the funeral cortege will leave the house at 10 a. m

PHILIP HONECKER.

Philip Honcoker died at 6:15 o'clock Broadway, aged 27 years. He had been pany for some time past.

#### LTHEL DIXON.

Ethel, the 13 months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dixon, died at the family home, 604 West Cerro Gordo The members of the street and alley street yesterday afternoon. Death was committee held a meeting to discuss canted by cholera infantum. The funeral was held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from

#### WHEELMEN'S CLUB

cle Track.

The regular monthly meeting of the tts present dangerous condition. The brought up for consideration. A committee consisting of Emery Birks, Archie Wilson and L. E. Rogers was appointed forced to the committee, but they will await action until they hear from Chiquarter mile bicycle track at some place convenient to the residents of the city

The subject of the building of the bi-

lyole track has long been one of the most Last night Officers Fanton and Keoppe ohorished schomes of the Wheelmen's were called to the residence of the Harkel. club and different places have been sugrode family on South Main street. Kate gested as being the proper location for Eurkelrode was laving a fight with her the track, but nothing definite has been husband and she was taken to police dicided upon. It is now suggested that bondquarters. She was pounding her hus. a stock company be formed with the shares at \$1 The exact cost of the track is not known, but a thorough canvass of the matter will be made by the commutroports are made.

> reported \$95 05 in the treasury which is is no more rain to stop them. an increase of \$15 over the receipts of last

#### AT MT. ZION TO-NIGHT.

Indications Are that Chicken and

Fish Fry Will be Well Attended.

The indications are that the chicken and fish fry which will be given by the ladies of the Methodist church at Mt. Zion toniaht will be one of the best attended affairs of this kind of the summer. The plans have been made for innumerable pleasure parties with Mt. East Bradford street, August 3, a son. Zion the objective point of the trip and there are several famility and smaller Meyer, South Broadway, on August 8, a parties who will attend. The supper will be served from 5 to 10 o'clock and will be given without any concessions to the weather. A huge tent will be creeted near the church and facilities will be provided for the entertainment and accommodation of a large number of pec-

The nails on amputated fingers con-

### WOULDN'T LISTEN

Clevenger Refused to Hear the Verdict Read.

#### JURORS VISITED HIM

But He Would Not See Them Miss Myers Gave Bond for Her Appearance as a Witness.

The verdict returned yesterday by the

oroner a jury in the case of Bay Tilford, who was shot and killed by Louis A. Clevenger, seems to meet with the apwith the case. That Clevenger was the least doubt according to the eviverdict was to the effect that Olevenger of the grand jury and it was also recomon the sheriff to hold the man. The deficiency, in the secondary school system, coronor's warrant was issued and Coroner Liedosah Myers, for her appearance as a try, by the introduction of a manual witness when the case comes up for training system. ness and without her testimony the case igainst Clavenger would be weak.

he jury went to the jail to read their verdict to the prisoner. When Clevonger learned their purpose he would not come out to mest the jury and there was nothing for them to do but turn away without reading the verdlet to the prisoner. Yesterday quite a number of persons called at the jail and were given an opportunity to see Clevenger. Attorneys W. E. Redman and E. S. Mc Donald have been retained by Clevenger

#### MILLS AND CALDWELL.

Republican Nominee Will Keep Ben He was Found Not Guilty of Stealing on the Chicago Platform. Springfield Journal, August 8: Isaas

R. Mills of Decatur, the Republican nomines for congress in the 17th district. been decided upon and will be amnounced part of my time from now on in the interest of the party. "I fully appreciate the kind of cam-

I will make my campaign.

Mills said "His nomination was conseded months ago. I have not read Mr. he stands with both feet on the Chicago platform of 1896. That is just where I at the chicken fry at Mt. Zien tonight is want him to stand and it is where I pro- a bay ride planned by the following Desatur Whoelmen's club was held Tues- pose to let him stand. I am willing to young people: Misses Nonice Bergen,

"I will go to Pawnee tomorrow to at attend a banner meeting in one of my Grable, Will Riokle, Fred Fogter, J. C. townships on Thursday. These banner meetings interest me especially as last Williams and Mrs. Harry Conklin and tall I offered a silken banner to the town- Mrs. J. B. Williams. ship casting the highest Republican vote, with the promise that the flag be given to the township casting the highest num ber of votes in succeeding years. This year several townships in Macon county will contest for the banner and we anticipate an interesting meeting over in Ma con temerrow "

#### Public Work.

Tuttle and Matter have been Intertee and decided action taken as soon as rupted in their work of paving on Herkimer street. Yesterday and the day he-The club is looking for more desirable fore the ground west too wet to do anyquarters and Messrs. Al Shields, Ned thing but today some work can be done. Freeman and Ben Brum were selected to The contractors expect to have the paying cents for particulars. Address: The look after this matter. The treasurer duished by the 15th of the month if there

A. F. Gebhart expected to begin work month. The club now has 60 mombers yesterday or the day before on the Oakland avenue sewer, but the rain prevented. He has till Jaunary to finish but will rush the construction of the sewer and hope to have it done long hefore that time. Mr. Gebhart will have a large force of men at work, probably as many as a handred will be at work on the place at one time

#### Births.

To. Mr. and Mrs. Perry Byrner of South Wheatland township on August 8, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Turkey of Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank W.

#### Special Advertising Rates. Churches, secret societies and other

charitable and semi-charitable organizations are made a special advertising rate by the Republican of five cents a line for each insertion of local reading notions, programs, resolutions, etc.

Steamboats are displacing gendeles in

#### MANUAL TRAINING

Schools Presented by a Graduate.

-Eds. Republicans: The citizens of Doeatur have always been justly proud of their public schools and have seen them, with pleasure, develops until today they are second to none within the state. The system of seven grades which is peculiar to Decatur has caused much favorable comment among educators of our state and nation. The High school has the largest enrollment within the state, outside of Chicago, and graduates from it are admitted, without examination, on all of the higher institutions of learning which have any accredited High schools. Such a degree of perfecton could not have been reached without the hearty co-operaton of our citizens or their far-sightedness in favoring the introduction of new methods and systems.

Courses of study for the secondary schools, during the last 25 or 80 years, proval of most everyone that is acquainted have tended toward the development of classical and scientific students with guilty of murder there seems to be not particular reference to their outering some higher institutions. Thus those dence introduced at the inquest. The students who must early enter into some remunerative employment drop out of be held without ball to await the aution the schools when they receive no training which is sepostally adapted to their mend that the coroner issue a mittimus life work. Within the last decade, this has been remedied, to a great degree, in Bondure also took a bond from Miss some of the fortunate schools of our coun-Would it not be nessible to de same-

thing of the kind in Decatur. Sewing and some of the simpler kinds of manual training would be introduced into the grades. On the ground west of the High school a manual training bullding sould be built in which arrangements might he made for a gymnasium, wood shops, cooking department and other branches that the citizens would endorse. Such a building need not be very expensive and when properly equipped would put our schools in a very enviable position to comparison with other cities. High School Graduate.

### DAVE ELLIS DISMISSED.

Shoes From George Powers.

Dave Ellis, the colored boy, who was on trial yesterday before Justice Hardy, was dismissed. He was charged with was in the city yesterday on his way to having stolen a pair of shoes from George Pawnee where he will attend the annual Powers' shoe store. Ellis it seems had farmers picule today. Mr. Mills was at on former occasions taken damaged shoes the Leland and during the evening he from the store and sold them to persons met a large number of Republicans, who whom he knew wanted to buy such oalled to shake hands with the next con- articles. Ellis worked as shoe shiner as presentan from this district. Mr. Mills the store, but was a short time aga dislast night at his residence, 719 South expressed blusself as well pleased with charged. On Tuesday he came into the the outlook for Republican success this store and wanted to take out a pair of ill for only a short time before his death. fall. To a representative of The Journal above. Mr. Powers was til at home and He died of acute obstruction of the bowels he said: "I believe this is a Republican a telephone message was sent to the He leaves a wife and two children, four year. This epinion is strengthened daily house asking if Dave should be allowed sisters and a brother. He has been an for I have been around some and every- to take the shoes. The instructions employe of the Decatur Brewing Com. where I meet with encouragement. I were that he should not take them unless intend to make a thorough canvass of he had the money. Dave was told this The time of the funeral has not yet the district and will devote the greater and then he took the shoes anyway and walked out of the store. He was later in the day arrested for stealing the shees and his trial came up yesterday. He had paign Mr. Caldwell is making and will no attorney, but simply told his story. make. I am not running against Mr. He claimed that he had done the same Caldwell's pockerbook. His and mine thing before and that he did not take the are not the same. It is the Republican shoes with any idea of stealing but for principles against those of the Democracy the purpose of selling them. Justice in this fight and it is on these lines that Hardy after hearing the evidence decided that Ellis was not guilty of theft and dis-When asked as to Mr. Caldwell's charged him. Ellis is the young man nomination today and its purport, Mr. who a short time ago was cut by another

#### Hay Ride To-Night.

Among the many plans for attendance Neille File, Nellie Redman, Clara Sawyer, Corn Cucher, Maud Lincoln, Masura. tond the annual farmers' pionic and will W. G. Ayers, Charles McKee, Charles Johnson, Ray Hunt, Fred Thenia, George

Fumigated After Lockjaw. The board of health yesterday ordered the famigation of the rooms at the Davidson house, focompied by mrs. Davidson during her illness. The proceedings would seem a little out of the ordinary. but the physicians of the board say that it was a case in which the formalddehyde gas should be used.

#### Threshing in Minnesota.

Ambress Sanion of Decatur and John Samuel and Charles Karb of Hervey City will leave on Thursday, August 11, for Minnesots, with the Advance Threshing outfit. They have contracts for several weeks of threshing.

#### Patriotic Social.

The Christian Eudeavor society of the Obristian tabernacle will give a patriotic social at the church this evening. An original patirotic program will be given and ice cream in red white and blue colors will be served.



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# **AQUINALDO**

Characteristic N Consul at

He Refuses to Give an

He Can Take

NEW YORK, Aug. 5-T ports to give the text of a mess. insurgent leader, to United Sta Kong. He says: "I ask why my policy, present and future, when America will not be frank fighting for annexation, prote America to say, not for me. the Spanish everywhere; but takes Manila, I can save my me in store for me. Now, good i and rogue. The interests of m people are to you."

### **BOY LEADE**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 5having just come from a chat w

"We will keep Luzon with than that we ought not to desire unconditionally abandon the Ph riot there. It is our opportus and leave the rest to Spain, and parcel out her possessions.

"Aguinaldo has complicate it. Whether his subjugation sl the United States or not, he wil complete. He is likely to so national respect."

### SAGASTA S

LONDON, August 5.-1 Times says:

"Though peace is regarded quickly as is generally expected hustled, and insists upon everyt and dignified manner. He cons satisfactory explanation as to all him best to protect the national. dencies of the Washington cabin

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"It would be premature to tions now proceeding foreshadow net when peace is concluded. T